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UTILITIES COMMISSION

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## **VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Jean D. Jewell, Secretary Idaho Public Utilities Commission 472 West Washington Street Boise, Idaho 83702

Re: Case Nos. IPC-E-14-41 and PAC-E-14-11

Exchange of Certain Transmission Assets - Corrected Pages 12 and 13

of the Direct Testimony of David M. Angell

Dear Ms. Jewell:

It has come to the attention of Idaho Power Company and PacifiCorp that the words "tap of the" were inadvertently omitted on page 12, line 16 of the Direct Testimony of David M. Angell. Therefore, to correct this omission, enclosed are 10 copies of **corrected** pages 12 and 13 of Mr. Angell's testimony. Because of the addition of the omitted words, the pagination changed and the paragraphs shifted by one line.

As noted on the Certificate of Service, the corrected pages have been provided to the parties in this case.

If you have any questions regarding the enclosed corrected pages or this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Julia A. Hilton

JAH:csb Enclosures

cc: Service List (w/encls.)

- 1 Q. Please continue describing the benefits
- 2 related to the capacity and ownership of transmission lines
- 3 and substations that Idaho Power will acquire from
- 4 PacifiCorp.
- 5 A. Idaho Power will receive capacity and
- 6 ownership of the Antelope Goshen line and facilities at
- 7 the Goshen substation. Capacity on the Antelope Goshen
- 8 line will provide a new source to reliably serve the
- 9 Blackfoot, Idaho area. In addition to improving
- 10 reliability, the Blackfoot area load is forecasted to grow
- 11 in the next five to ten years. The present plan to meet
- 12 this growth includes a new twenty-mile line from the Brady
- 13 Antelope 230 kV line to the Haven substation. The
- 14 Antelope Goshen line capacity would provide increased
- 15 load service reliability and operational flexibility for
- 16 the Blackfoot area, eliminating the need for the tap of the
- 17 Brady Antelope 230 kV line at half the cost of the
- 18 present plan.
- 19 O. Please describe the benefits related to the
- 20 Antelope Scoville line and Antelope substation facilities
- 21 acquisition.
- 22 A. Idaho Power has an existing agreement with
- 23 PacifiCorp for capacity through the Antelope substation to
- 24 serve a single Idaho Power customer via the Scoville
- 25 substation. As part of this transaction, Idaho Power will

- 1 acquire assets at the Antelope substation, converting an
- 2 outdated legacy agreement to asset ownership and
- 3 eliminating the need to cross PacifiCorp's assets to serve
- 4 a single Idaho Power customer.
- 5 Q. What are the benefits related to capacity on
- 6 the American Falls Malad line?
- 7 A. As shown on Exhibit 4 in gray as an Idaho
- 8 Power Acquired Asset, the American Falls Malad line
- 9 travels south from American Falls to Malad through the
- 10 Arbon Valley. Idaho Power currently has capacity
- 11 limitations in the Arbon Valley area due to voltage
- 12 constraints and has had to quote customers expensive
- 13 distribution upgrade requirements for load requests, grant
- 14 load requests for significantly less than desired, or
- 15 simply deny load requests. The Company has also
- 16 experienced low voltage issues on the distribution feeder
- 17 due to the distance between the source substation and the
- 18 Arbon Valley, resulting in the rebuild of sections of the
- 19 feeder. Additional distribution upgrades would be required
- 20 in the future as existing customer load growth increases.
- 21 This would result in costly upgrades due to the length of
- 22 the distribution feeder that typically requires multiple
- 23 miles of rebuild. However, ownership in the American Falls
- 24 Malad line will provide an alternative to rebuilding the
- 25 feeder at nearly half the cost of a distribution rebuild.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of February 2015 I served true and correct copies of the **CORRECTED** PAGES 12 AND 13 OF THE DIRECT TESTIMONY OF DAVID M. ANGELL upon the following named parties by the method indicated below, and addressed to the following:

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